

THE MISSION

12th flight of Geosynchronous Satellite Launch Vehicle (GSLV)

Sixth flight with Indigenous Cryogenic Upper Stage

Launch from the Second Launch Pad (SLP) at Satish Dhawan Space Centre SHAR, Sriharikota

Targeted Geosynchronous Transfer Orbit (GTO) of GSLV-F08

Perigee : 170 km

Apogee : 35,975 km

Inclination: 20.63 deg

Azimuth: 106 deg

Three

Orbit Raising Manoeuvres using the satellite's

onboard propulsion system

 ΔV : 1656 metre/sec

Targeted Orbit of GSAT-6A

Type : Geostationary Orbit

Height : 36,000 km

Inclination: Zero deg

Longitude: 83 deg East

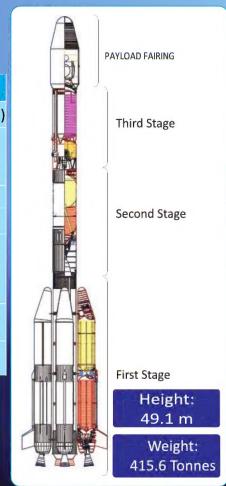
THE VEHICLE

GSLV-F08 at a Glance

Parameters	Stages			
	First Stage (GS1)		Second Stage (GS2)	Third Stage (GS3)
	Strap-Ons	Core Stage		
	(4 L40 H)	(S139)		
Length (m)	19.74	21.25	11.57	8.47
Diameter (m)	2.1	2.8	2.8	2.8
Propellants	Earth Storable Liquid Propellants	Composite Solid Propellant	Earth Storable Liquid Propellants	Cryogenic Propellants
Propellant mass (T)	4 x 42.7	138.11	39.48	12.84
Max. Vacuum Thrust (kN)	4 x 759.4	4846.9	846.8	73.55

Improvements in GSLV-F08

- Induction of High Thrust Vikas Engine (HTVE) in GS2
- Induction of electromechanical actuation (EMA) system in place of electrohydraulic actuation (EHA) system in GS2

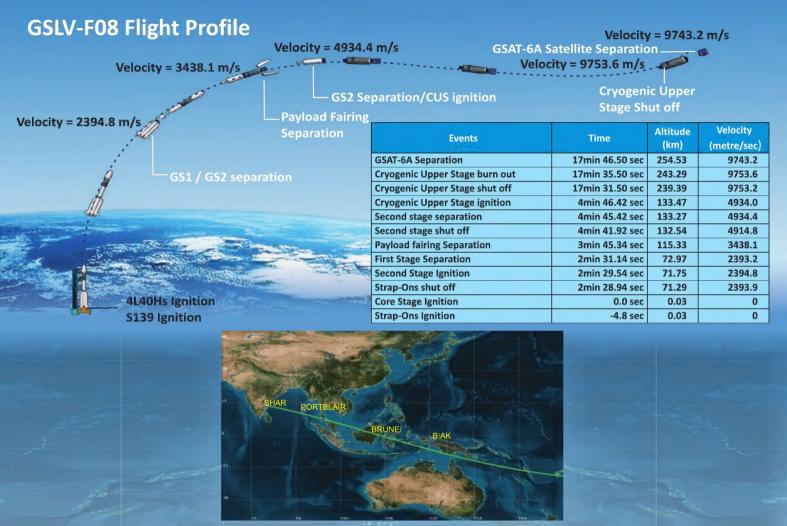


THE SATELLITE



Salient Features

- Provides mobile communication for India through multi beam coverage facility
 - S-band in five spot beams
 - C-band in one beam
- 6m diameter Unfurlable Antenna for user communication link
- 0.8 m Fixed Antenna for hub communication link
- Overall size: 1.53m x 1.65m x 2.4m
- ▶ I-2K Spacecraft Bus
- Power: 3119 W



Ground Trace of GSLV-F08 Trajectory

Glimpses of Launch Vehicle and Satellite Integration







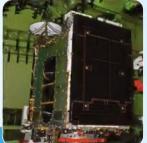




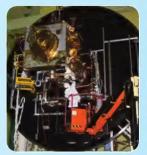
















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